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POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
July 1966

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Inspected Poultry - A total of 846,954,000 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) were inspected for slaughter during July 1966 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. This was 4 percent less than the previous month but 4 percent more than July 1965.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in July 1966 were young chickens, 191,233,000 head, 646,030,000 pounds; mature chickens, 10,447,000 head, 49,667,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,502,000 head, 13,055,000 pounds; young turkeys, 7,294,000 head, 124,656,000 pounds; old turkeys, 328,000 head, 6,062,000 pounds; and ducks, 1,219,000 head, 7,484,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in July 1966 totaled 618,123,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, of which 462,890,000 pounds were chilled and 155,233,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 465,228,000 pounds; mature chickens, 32,547,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 9,962,000 pounds; young turkeys, 99,765,000 pounds; old turkeys, 4,790,000 pounds; ducks, 5,338,000 pounds; and other poultry, 493,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in July 1966 totaled 63,827,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 63,944,000 pounds in July 1965. The quantity used in July 1966 consisted of 14,629,000 pounds of young chickens, 19,047,000 pounds of mature chickens, 26,357,000 pounds of turkeys, and 3,794,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during July 1966 totaled 96,245,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 91,128,000 pounds in July 1965. The breakdown by classes for July 1966 consisted of 87,076,000 pounds of young chickens, 401,000 pounds of mature chickens, 8,723,000 pounds of turkeys, and 45,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 5,149,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.68 percent; mature chickens, 0.92 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.22 percent; young turkeys, 0.23 percent; old turkeys, 0.12 percent; and ducks, 0.01 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in July 1966 amounted to 22,051,000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 3.09 percent; mature chickens, 4.05 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.92 percent; young turkeys, 1.76 percent; old turkeys, 2.07 percent; and ducks, 1.22 percent.

Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, July 1966 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected				Pounds inspected (live weight)				Average live weight			
	July		January-July		June		July		June		July	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Young chickens	207,644	190,056	191,233	1,182,344	1,268,181	718,870	643,492	646,030	4,095,927	4,388,443	3.46	3.38
Mature chickens	11,639	8,624	10,447	70,025	80,434	54,295	41,987	49,669	331,758	374,287	4.87	4.75
Total chickens	219,283	198,680	201,680	1,252,369	1,348,615	773,165	685,479	695,697	4,427,685	4,762,730	3.53	3.45
Fryer-roasters	1,642	1,336	1,502	6,835	8,247	14,374	11,785	13,055	60,394	72,086	8.75	8.82
Young turkeys	4,257	6,113	7,294	12,612	16,769	72,319	101,723	124,656	223,581	300,953	16.99	16.64
Old turkeys	664	329	328	1,678	1,587	13,179	6,229	6,062	32,616	31,144	18.48	18.93
Total turkeys	6,563	7,778	9,124	21,125	26,603	99,872	119,737	143,773	316,591	404,183	15.22	15.39
Ducks	1,424	1,292	1,219	5,711	5,652	9,083	8,182	7,484	36,563	36,002	6.38	6.33
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	811	599	760	2,530	2,777	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	882,931	813,997	847,714	4,783,369	5,205,692	---	---

1/ Of the mature chickens inspected, the number reported in thousands as heavy fowl (broiler breeding stock) was June 1966, 1,799; July 1965, 1,760; and July 1966, 1,972.

2/ Of the young turkeys inspected, the number reported in thousands as young banded breeders was: June 1966, 557; July 1965, 284; and July 1966, 318.

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	June 1966				July 1965				July 1966				January-July 1965				January-July 1966			
	Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled		Frozen		Chilled	
	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds	Total	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	460,901	53,397	514,298	420,159	47,093	467,252	418,263	46,965	465,228	2,659,584	304,546	2,964,130	2,809,183	333,781	3,142,964	246,043	399,021	3,389,007	45,481	55,882
Mature chickens	25,745	9,751	35,496	18,896	9,127	28,023	22,380	10,167	32,547	153,534	67,945	221,479	180,803	65,240	240,177	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Total chickens	486,646	63,148	549,794	439,055	56,220	495,275	440,643	57,132	497,775	2,813,118	372,491	3,185,609	2,989,986	399,021	3,389,007	246,043	20,555	320,768	217,026	486,061
Fryer-roasters	2,349	8,768	11,117	1,864	7,241	9,105	1,992	7,970	9,962	11,850	35,065	46,915	10,401	45,481	55,882	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Young turkeys	14,345	43,517	57,862	17,000	64,584	81,584	19,355	80,410	99,765	40,426	138,903	179,329	56,665	183,512	240,177	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Old turkeys	1,683	8,790	10,473	1,000	3,966	4,966	809	3,981	4,790	6,487	19,619	26,106	4,055	20,555	24,709	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Total turkeys	18,377	61,075	79,452	19,864	75,791	95,655	22,156	92,361	114,517	58,907	195,587	252,350	71,121	249,647	320,768	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Ducks	298	6,269	6,567	155	5,711	5,866	81	5,257	5,338	1,569	24,754	26,323	1,416	24,450	25,866	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Other poultry	5	526	531	17	353	370	10	483	493	84	1,437	1,521	38	1,712	1,750	24,709	20,555	24,709	183,512	240,177
Total poultry	505,326	131,018	636,344	459,091	138,075	597,166	462,890	155,233	618,123	2,873,534	592,269	3,465,803	3,062,561	674,830	3,737,391	246,043	20,555	320,768	217,026	486,061

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, July 1966 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight):		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight):		Percent 2/	
	July	1966	July	1965:1966	July	1966	July	1965 : 1966
Young chickens	1,000	1,000			1,000	1,000		1,000
Mature chickens	1,689	4,368	0.26	0.68	9,574	17,857	2.24	3.09
Total chickens	239	4,826	.57	.92	1,560	1,793	3.39	4.05
Fryer-roasters	15	29	.13	.22	133	225	1.63	1.92
Young turkeys	191	284	.19	.23	621	1,973	1.21	1.76
Old turkeys	4	7	.06	.12	39	113	1.82	2.07
Total turkeys	210	320	.18	.22	569	2,311	1.28	1.79
Ducks	2	1	.02	.01	10	84	1.14	1.22
Other poultry	2	2	.27	.31	3	8	1.12	1.17
Total	2,142	5,149	.26	.61	11,716	22,051	2.15	2.91

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed, weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, July 1966 with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	June		July		June		July	
	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Further processed	17,273	10,847	14,629	79,997	102,752	66	25	163
Cut up	102,150	85,048	87,076	552,585	619,877	---	---	---
Mature chickens	24,120	28,332	19,047	180,094	175,424	46	16	112
Further processed	330	630	401	7,618	5,009	---	---	---
Turkeys	25,731	21,700	26,357	124,668	170,145	13	8	59
Further processed	7,134	5,397	8,723	33,049	43,025	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/	4,799	3,065	3,794	26,095	32,692	2	2	12
Further processed	61	53	45	398	502	---	---	---
Total	71,923	63,944	63,827	410,854	481,013	127	51	346
Further processed	109,675	91,128	96,245	593,650	668,413	---	---	---

1/ All poultry inspected for canning and further processing and cut up and packaged in plants under Federal inspection.

2/ Poultry parts and fat used in further processing that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry."

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations				
		(live weight)		1965 : 1966		1965 : 1966		Pounds (NYD)		Percent		
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	
	Thou.	Thou.	pounds	pounds	Pounds	Pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	14,948	14,701	56,649	54,797	3.79	3.73	41,004	39,540	1,312	1,548	2.58	3.15
E. N. Cent.	2,561	2,345	8,887	8,362	3.47	3.57	6,557	6,139	125	102	1.57	1.36
W. N. Cent.	3,749	3,647	12,048	11,998	3.21	3.29	8,663	8,504	216	405	2.00	3.77
S. Atl.	80,034	81,556	276,382	281,180	3.45	3.45	200,885	202,212	5,992	8,378	2.41	3.33
S. Cent.	84,741	84,809	275,114	274,857	3.25	3.24	199,895	198,287	5,027	7,029	2.04	2.86
West	4,023	4,175	14,412	14,836	3.58	3.55	10,248	10,546	259	395	2.00	2.97
U. S.	190,056	191,233	643,492	646,030	3.39	3.38	467,252	465,228	12,931	17,857	2.24	3.09
Maine	5,996	6,306	23,064	23,240	3.85	3.69	17,034	17,173	455	585	2.20	2.80
Pa.	7,836	7,531	29,184	28,342	3.72	3.76	21,015	20,173	766	877	2.92	3.46
Ohio	287	111	1,093	418	3.81	3.78	790	301	20	7	2.08	2.00
Ind.	1,139	955	3,615	3,288	3.17	3.44	2,663	2,410	38	34	1.17	1.17
Ill.-Mich. 3/	30	21	199	120	6.63	5.71	147	89	3	1	1.68	.93
Wis.	1,105	1,258	3,980	4,536	3.60	3.60	2,957	3,339	64	60	1.79	1.47
Minn.	560	588	2,041	2,166	3.64	3.68	1,532	1,625	14	32	.78	1.66
Iowa 4/	29	---	147	---	5.01	---	107	---	2	---	1.44	---
Mo.	3,160	3,024	9,860	9,655	3.12	3.19	7,024	6,757	200	347	2.26	4.02
Del.	8,444	7,760	31,147	28,569	3.69	3.68	22,774	20,582	720	965	2.57	3.77
Md.	11,263	12,286	41,230	44,454	3.66	3.62	29,625	31,728	1,082	1,455	2.92	3.67
Va.	4,306	3,789	12,756	11,210	2.96	2.96	8,757	7,877	369	268	3.22	2.67
N. C.	20,559	21,382	70,982	74,713	3.45	3.49	51,666	53,783	1,415	2,379	2.22	3.56
S. C.	2,304	2,120	7,847	7,174	3.41	3.38	5,660	5,077	198	284	2.81	4.44
Ga.	31,953	32,812	108,664	110,839	3.40	3.38	79,714	80,091	2,115	2,945	2.17	2.97
Ky.	2,118	1,392	7,216	4,649	3.41	3.34	5,127	3,314	73	61	1.13	1.48
Tenn.	5,646	5,477	18,916	18,269	3.35	3.34	13,798	13,083	275	527	1.62	3.23
Ala.	21,351	21,769	72,007	72,490	3.37	3.33	52,857	52,562	1,193	1,707	1.85	2.64
Miss.	14,107	13,653	46,094	44,160	3.27	3.23	34,003	32,536	845	991	2.04	2.51
Ark.	26,608	26,786	82,370	83,664	3.10	3.12	58,920	59,462	1,626	2,312	2.20	3.09
La.-Okla. 3/	4,311	4,616	14,113	15,094	3.27	3.27	10,322	11,002	314	459	2.48	3.40
Texas	10,600	11,116	34,398	36,531	3.25	3.29	24,868	26,328	701	972	2.27	2.97
Idaho 4/	368	---	1,251	---	3.40	---	914	---	18	---	1.67	---
Wash.	780	904	2,759	3,344	3.53	3.70	1,994	2,387	32	53	1.28	1.76
Calif.	2,459	2,417	9,009	8,518	3.66	3.52	6,309	5,964	184	285	2.29	3.73

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

4/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by Regions and selected States, July 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook-wt.)		Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations	
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	Percent	Percent
		Thous.	Thous.	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	1,030	1,092	5,124	4.97	4.96	3,410	3,601	124	135	2.70	2.78
E. M. Cent.	1,320	1,596	5,556	4.21	4.27	3,675	4,442	140	221	2.81	3.62
W. N. Cent.	2,120	2,445	9,435	4.45	4.42	6,224	6,988	322	466	3.82	4.84
S. Atl.	1,579	1,878	8,778	5.56	5.40	5,914	6,769	266	287	3.38	3.17
S. Cent.	1,488	2,193	8,389	5.64	5.09	5,698	7,425	265	409	3.54	4.14
West	1,087	1,243	4,705	4.33	4.28	3,102	3,322	158	275	3.75	5.77
U. S.	8,624	10,447	41,987	4.87	4.75	28,023	32,547	1,275	1,793	3.39	4.05
Maine	248	291	1,512	6.09	6.20	1,083	1,288	35	42	2.52	2.60
N. J.	457	640	1,919	4.20	4.26	1,181	1,703	59	76	3.44	3.12
Pa.	199	79	1,046	5.25	6.03	698	328	19	12	2.00	2.82
Ohio	493	520	2,094	4.17	4.03	1,358	1,349	47	71	2.56	3.80
Ind.	382	507	1,646	4.31	4.36	1,089	1,441	48	66	3.26	3.32
Ill.	354	438	1,418	4.01	4.03	943	1,149	32	69	2.58	4.34
Wis.	58	123	296	5.09	5.87	202	485	10	14	3.77	2.16
Minn.	914	1,193	3,662	4.01	3.97	2,355	2,960	160	244	4.86	5.78
Mo.	722	629	3,869	5.36	5.72	2,631	2,450	85	99	2.46	3.10
Del. 3/	23	---	174	---	---	123	---	5	---	2.99	---
Md.	371	481	1,518	4.09	4.22	1,015	1,362	36	52	2.67	2.92
Va.	139	79	889	6.40	6.50	603	356	19	12	2.31	2.70
N. C.	366	362	2,441	6.67	7.09	1,682	1,728	77	71	3.52	3.12
S. C. 3/	6	---	47	8.07	---	34	---	1	---	2.47	---
Ga.	538	721	3,156	5.86	5.49	2,124	2,641	112	124	3.99	3.53
Ky. 3/	14	---	78	5.62	---	53	---	2	---	2.77	---
Tenn.	196	202	1,125	5.73	5.47	757	749	41	43	4.09	4.50
Ala.	140	54	1,056	7.55	7.41	766	284	29	16	3.08	4.46
Miss.	644	951	4,227	4.890	4.44	1,871	2,816	91	152	3.52	4.05
Ark.	147	214	1,116	7.59	7.10	780	1,044	31	48	3.07	3.60
La.-Okla. 4/	117	299	859	7.34	5.27	618	1,063	24	49	3.12	3.47
Texas	230	473	1,265	5.51	4.91	853	1,468	47	101	4.17	4.87
Idaho 3/	47	---	184	3.94	---	127	---	4	---	2.57	---
Wash.	108	139	514	4.76	4.34	324	384	17	21	3.79	3.89
Calif.	844	1,008	3,661	4.34	4.31	2,412	2,693	127	242	3.85	6.23

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2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

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Mature chickens: number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, July 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis		Leu- kosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Syno- vitis		Tumors		Bruises		Cadaver		Contam- ination		Over- scald		Other		Total	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	41	3,077	14,873	41	667	5,046	574	1,244	1,698	61	4,651	31,973												
E. N. Cent.	2,539	3,665	16,125	43	124	27,383	1,366	1,521	2,520	64	6,159	61,509												
W. N. Cent.	13,506	8,513	32,001	891	215	44,214	2,397	1,396	8,156	591	15,552	127,432												
S. Atl.	132	4,064	20,219	579	2,107	11,655	1,245	2,717	7,175	302	8,080	58,275												
S. Cent.	3	11,162	31,097	638	1,467	20,650	1,582	1,775	7,704	312	14,715	91,105												
West	---	1,598	32,645	104	156	30,511	1,304	825	3,022	157	5,721	76,043												
U. S.	16,221	32,079	146,960	2,296	4,736	139,459	8,468	9,478	30,275	1,487	54,878	446,337												
Maine	---	924	4,269	24	299	600	35	163	365	4	151	6,834												
N. J.	41	1,748	8,825	2	327	3,794	507	961	1,069	57	4,187	21,518												
Pa.	---	261	1,324	14	10	464	24	76	166	---	243	2,582												
Ohio	263	1,324	5,781	19	17	7,998	556	412	1,191	29	1,267	18,857												
Ind.	200	1,132	5,057	2	46	10,200	606	366	715	28	981	19,333												
Ill.	1,684	471	4,032	10	36	8,925	100	417	372	4	3,788	19,839												
Wis.	392	733	1,129	12	17	246	93	324	215	3	39	3,203												
Minn.	6,659	1,850	15,383	199	77	31,461	1,485	948	3,446	383	9,815	71,706												
Mo.	749	3,274	9,619	190	82	2,603	445	373	575	50	1,539	19,499												
Md.	132	1,285	4,339	309	455	499	380	1,330	1,691	80	783	11,283												
Va.	---	245	1,432	12	93	401	34	33	122	33	---	2,405												
N. C.	---	717	5,591	137	725	1,646	149	345	1,143	24	708	11,185												
Ga.	---	1,149	7,003	112	741	6,855	521	674	3,665	107	5,208	26,035												
Tenn.	---	283	4,155	48	452	2,056	102	261	1,602	85	1,274	10,318												
Ala.	---	94	857	12	34	135	14	54	651	9	139	1,999												
Miss.	---	853	12,007	338	352	16,710	811	692	2,980	95	4,164	39,002												
Ark.	---	405	2,978	171	231	169	81	133	1,054	31	740	5,993												
La.-Okla.	2	1,019	6,062	51	180	1,185	171	113	606	8	1,202	10,599												
Texas	1	8,505	5,029	18	218	394	403	522	811	84	7,196	23,181												
Wash.	---	323	2,733	1	39	699	115	61	283	8	1,376	5,638												
Calif.	---	859	28,503	91	117	29,231	1,052	650	2,412	146	3,837	66,898												

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average		Total pounds		Post-mortem condemnations			
		(live weight)		live weight		certified		(Ready-to-cook wt.)			
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	94	1,926	1,271	20.49	16.95	1,517	997	19	8	1.10	0.70
E. N. Cent.	539	8,578	9,606	15.91	17.06	6,944	7,737	69	108	.89	1.25
W. N. Cent.	2,277	36,916	43,286	16.21	16.42	29,941	35,074	356	577	1.07	1.48
S. Atl.	644	10,603	13,780	16.46	16.27	8,332	10,785	136	234	1.43	1.89
S. Cent.	978	15,523	24,196	15.87	16.76	12,437	19,265	163	504	1.17	2.32
West	1,581	28,177	32,517	17.82	18.81	22,413	25,907	364	542	1.44	1.85
U. S.	6,113	101,723	124,656	16.64	17.09	81,584	99,765	1,107	1,973	1.21	1.76
Pa.	51	884	930	17.43	15.88	742	745	4	5	.60	.67
Ohio	143	2,018	2,587	16.82	18.06	1,650	2,078	10	24	.55	1.02
Ind.	162	2,440	2,801	15.08	15.73	2,002	2,283	18	22	.82	.88
Ill.-Mich. 3/	36	707	1,305	19.64	20.71	561	1,049	4	20	.64	1.71
Wis.	221	3,413	2,913	15.46	16.29	2,731	2,327	37	42	1.22	1.58
Minn.	1,123	18,437	19,139	16.42	16.89	15,016	15,582	181	217	1.09	1.26
Iowa	596	9,530	10,859	15.99	15.87	7,685	8,755	80	93	.94	.95
Mo.	384	6,222	8,932	16.20	16.45	5,037	7,213	73	213	1.31	2.66
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 3/4/	52	---	788	---	15.25	---	645	---	5	---	.75
Nebr.	132	2,130	2,251	16.12	17.24	1,718	1,826	17	28	.89	1.39
Va.	256	4,117	5,333	16.07	16.69	3,126	4,118	65	68	1.75	1.42
N. C.	279	5,016	7,712	17.95	16.35	4,026	6,076	58	159	1.29	2.30
Ark.	392	5,912	9,079	15.06	15.60	4,768	7,311	73	188	1.36	2.31
Texas	290	4,659	9,720	16.07	17.70	3,726	7,672	59	205	1.42	2.35
Colo.	191	3,690	4,264	19.32	20.58	3,045	3,571	36	32	1.10	.83
Utah	204	3,455	3,194	16.90	16.00	2,776	2,554	38	25	1.23	.89
Calif.	1,086	19,398	23,264	17.86	19.06	15,291	18,370	274	464	1.57	2.22

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

4/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, July 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- seald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	56	162	56	5	2	9	37	31	---	35	393
E. N. Cent.	---	37	2,300	1,839	159	27	39	382	429	231	80	5,523
W. N. Cent.	---	168	16,609	10,152	1,194	61	401	1,493	2,039	229	393	32,739
S. Atl.	---	52	6,353	4,836	2,359	24	116	268	797	32	142	14,979
S. Cent.	---	97	11,205	9,612	2,810	107	316	1,265	1,768	219	2,072	29,471
West	---	36	13,948	8,834	2,613	89	325	329	1,190	145	731	28,240
U. S.	---	446	50,577	35,329	9,140	310	1,206	3,774	6,254	856	3,453	111,345
Pa.	---	51	109	13	3	---	8	11	23	---	4	222
Ohio	---	17	400	307	5	2	7	68	211	166	41	1,224
Ind.	---	2	362	530	79	1	2	88	29	31	2	1,126
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	---	343	228	14	2	3	59	51	30	35	765
Wis.	---	18	1,195	774	61	22	27	167	138	4	2	2,408
Minn.	---	58	6,077	3,524	384	22	177	873	1,097	50	231	12,493
Iowa	---	79	2,477	1,259	147	6	94	155	611	53	78	4,959
Mo.	---	31	6,459	4,477	569	8	75	206	173	109	43	12,150
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 1/	---	---	180	49	11	---	20	7	46	3	20	336
Nebr.	---	---	879	235	66	23	30	47	61	5	---	1,346
Va.	---	39	2,479	783	141	19	50	73	138	9	---	3,731
N. C.	---	9	3,676	3,978	2,180	5	52	191	599	21	134	10,845
Ark.	---	39	4,575	3,859	1,674	4	145	741	1,114	60	285	12,496
Texas	---	42	3,542	4,451	766	92	152	221	440	16	1,266	10,988
Colo.	---	---	563	442	40	2	54	26	76	12	---	1,215
Utah	---	7	1,099	86	93	5	36	39	68	17	---	1,450
Calif.	---	27	11,302	8,139	2,478	77	166	230	1,014	115	731	24,279

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Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected (live weight)	Average live weight inspected 1	Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)	Post-mortem condemnations			
					1965	1966	1965	Percent 2/ 1965
	Thou.	1,000 pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent
N. Atl. 3/	19	184	9.44	136	55	2	---	---
E. N. Cent.	266	2,471	9.29	1,586	1,244	25	26	1.12
W. N. Cent.	378	3,339	8.83	2,671	3,967	31	80	1.03
S. Atl.	464	4,021	8.67	3,033	3,344	74	81	2.05
S. Cent.	11	97	8.82	75	53	1	1	1.15
West	198	1,673	8.45	1,288	1,299	40	37	2.66
U. S.	1,336	11,785	8.82	9,105	9,962	173	225	1.63
Ohio	38	360	9.40	274	241	5	4	1.64
Wis.	215	2,004	9.31	1,540	1,003	20	22	1.08
Minn.	337	2,987	8.87	2,396	3,808	29	78	1.09
Iowa 3/	20	178	9.08	138	159	---	2	---
Va.	412	3,580	8.68	2,684	3,229	71	79	2.22
Calif.	193	1,636	8.49	1,260	1,246	40	36	2.74

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, July 1966

Region and State	Tuber- cullosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- : Over- :		Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	ination	scald	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	---	29	4	1	---	---	---	6	---	2	42
E. N. Cent.	---	18	1,959	326	74	1	21	205	192	3	54	2,853
W. N. Cent.	---	230	3,648	2,254	106	3	158	293	1,618	197	254	8,761
S. Atl.	---	7	3,886	4,441	179	---	85	279	368	26	11	9,282
S. Cent.	---	1	18	88	1	---	1	3	30	---	---	142
West	---	3	2,000	1,766	129	1	91	79	618	12	79	4,778
U. S.	---	259	11,540	8,879	490	5	356	859	2,832	238	400	25,858
Ohio	---	10	73	48	3	1	1	33	96	---	54	319
Wis.	---	8	1,886	278	71	---	20	172	96	3	---	2,534
Minn.	---	230	3,529	2,221	103	1	147	286	1,534	194	229	8,474
Iowa	---	---	119	33	3	2	11	7	84	3	25	287
Va.	---	3	3,646	4,429	162	---	82	275	351	26	8	8,982
Calif.	---	3	1,626	1,761	93	1	82	75	617	12	79	4,349

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Dashes mean less than 500 pounds.

Old turkeys (breeders): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1965 and 1966

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified		Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations	
		1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	Percent	Percent 2/
N. Atl. 3/	Thou. 5	1,000	1,000	Pounds 20.20	Pounds 17.95	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	Percent	Percent
E. N. Cent.	80	101	263	19.18	18.80	83	213	1	1	1.38	0.28
W. N. Cent.	69	1,534	1,109	18.32	16.29	1,239	885	14	14	1.90	1.90
S. Atl.	31	1,264	1,401	18.52	19.23	1,007	1,113	23	17	2.02	2.15
S. Cent. 3/	11	574	1,096	17.64	19.76	440	848	14	10	2.71	2.23
West	133	194	---	19.26	---	153	---	2	---	1.15	---
		2,562	2,193			2,044	1,731	44	32	1.91	2.23
U. S.	329	6,229	6,062	18.93	18.48	4,966	4,790	102	74	1.82	2.07
Ohio	44	805	800	18.28	18.43	657	640	8	13	1.15	1.87
Minn.	65	1,188	766	18.29	17.01	947	608	23	19	2.17	2.74
Calif.	66	1,294	319	19.66	19.49	1,039	253	20	9	1.68	3.09

Old turkeys (breeders): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, July 1966

Region and State	Tuber- culosis	Leu- kosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- culitis	Synovitis	Tumors	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- scald	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	4	23	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	29
E. N. Cent.	---	13	475	181	8	5	11	29	102	20	114	958
W. N. Cent.	1	6	595	573	31	8	13	29	84	4	33	1,357
S. Atl.	---	8	417	133	9	15	3	25	40	---	52	702
S. Cent.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
West	---	45	1,625	103	14	11	115	45	94	2	---	2,054
U. S.	1	76	3,135	972	62	39	142	128	320	26	199	5,100
Ohio	---	8	293	99	8	4	7	28	89	16	111	663
Minn.	1	2	331	377	24	3	12	13	75	2	33	873
Calif.	---	8	292	20	5	5	13	3	55	---	---	401

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Definitions

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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